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February 11, 2004

Ms. Elizabeth A. Rolando
Chief Clerk
Illinois Commerce Commission
527 East Capitol Avenue
Springfield, IL 62701

*Ret. to Cancel
(by letter)*

Re: Cable & Wireless USA, Inc. (CWUSA) Request to Withdraw Competitive Local Exchange
Certificate (CLEC)

04-0096

Dear Ms. Rolando:

CWUSA hereby files to withdraw its CLEC Certificate granted in Case No. 000806 on March 7, 2001 for the provision of local service in the state of Illinois. Enclosed for your use are an original and two (2) copies of this filing. An extra copy of this filing is also enclosed. Please date stamp and return it in the SASE to acknowledge receipt.

In recent months CWUSA has revised its business plan and decided to offer Internet Protocol (IP), web hosting, and other technological services. Concurrently, CWUSA has decided to withdraw from the local exchange market. There are no former local customers, or current local customers to be affected by this withdrawal. Therefore, no customer notice is required. We ask that this filing become effective on one-day's notice. Also, should a CWUSA local tariff be on file at the Commission, we ask that it be canceled in its entirety.


Respectfully submitted,



LaRene Flack
Enclosures
Cc: Ms. Maggie Mucciante

AFFIDAVIT

I, Cathy Slesinger, declare under penalty of perjury that I am Senior Vice President, Public Policy and Government Affairs, Cable & Wireless, USA, Inc; that I have read the Request to Withdraw Competitive Local Exchange Certificate in the State of Illinois; that the same is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

By: 
Cathy L. Slesinger
Senior Vice President

County of Fairfax, Commonwealth of Virginia
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th
day of February 2004.

Cynthia M. Radcliff
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 31, 2004.

